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Subject: Fwd: Re:Inquiry from Tom Kesteloot

>>> Constituent Services <constituentservices@utah.gov> 2/4/2009 12:55 PM >>>

Below is an inquiry which was received by the Governor's Office of Constituent Services on 02/04/2009. Please respond directly to the constituent and reply to this email with a copy of your response by 2/18/2009.

Tom Kesteloot

Email

SUBJECT:

The recent position the public service committee took on not allowing vehicles that have been converted to natural gas provides no remedy except to remove the conversion kit to renew the registration. It would seem logical to offer some type of inspection program with the certified EPA installers to inspect the kits that have already been installed to keep the 4 to 5 thousand vehicles that are currently using natural gas on the road supporting the infrastructure buildup that needs to be done to advance this great way to help improve the valley's air quality. Eliminating these vehicles from the road will only delay the advancement of investment into this area and may even kill it for the foreseeable future due to the high cost of the conversions and lack of customers using the product. Please help modify the decision to allow those of us who have invested in the technology to save money and help improve the air quality in our great state.

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